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Have fun at Mohave Engineering

Herbierto Tarango is a new proud employee at Mohave Engineering Associates, Inc. Tarango works for David Swisher who says, "Tarango is one of the biggest helpers I've had."

The one thing that David would like his company to do is expand more rapidly. When David first started here he only had two employees working under him, but now he has eight and knows that he will have to hire more help in the future.

Mohave Engineering is responsible for a variety of jobs including: surveying house and commercial pads, engineering and drafting, designing buildings, materials inspections, and construction and materials inspecting/testing.

David had purchased land here before starting at Mohave Engineering and had plans of starting his own business. After landing a job with Mohave Engineering, he realized that this is where he wanted to be.

Tarango says that in five years he hopes to be working for David. Tarango also says that this is a great new experience for him that he won't soon forget and also that the job is just what he had expected. Really the only experience needed for this type of work is to learn how to use the machinery.

Both Tarango and David

say they like to joke around to keep the department fun, though serious. David feels that having fun helps people do their jobs better. We agree!



Tarango having fun spraying the dirt dish..

Chamber of Commerce hires summer help

David Swann is now a proud member of the Kingman Area Chamber of Commerce. For six hours a day, David fills out general information packets (relocation packets) and writes referrals plus a little filing duties too. He has had previous experience in filing for his mom.

David says that the keyboarding class he took in school is helping him out greatly in his work. The part of his job that he dislikes most is dealing with difficult customers. However, there is always the occasional positive skirmish with the candy dish.

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Working his fingers to the bones

Laron works on yet another large project



Laron employees working hard on a trailer for a respected client

Laron Incorporated has been quite busy lately in their process of constructing a huge trailer for one of their valued clients. Much long and painstaking time has been taken for this great project, which they hope to finish by the end of this July.

The always-friendly staff has recently reached a safety goal of going 120 days without a reportable injury claim. To celebrate this great achievement, the company had a pizza party.

John Hansen, one of the managers at Laron and also one of the private company coordinators for COYOTE, is very proud of the staff, the hard work of the employees and the reputation of Laron Incorporated. He and all of the people at Laron Incorporated are working hard to ensure that Laron Incorporated stays at the top of its game. The opportunity for COYOTE to work

with Laron is all thanks to Glenn Thoroughman, president and owner of Laron Incorporated. Thanks Glenn, we appreciate the opportunity to serve you!



The newsletter writing team with John Hansen at Laron Inc. Left to right: Michael Swann, John, Josh Hoff, and Cody Davis

Superior Court hires filing whiz Cassie for summer

Where's Cassie Jackson? She's protecting and serving at the Mohave County Clerk of Superior Court. She enjoys her work, which consists of shredding papers, filing and opening envelopes. Cassie says that the biggest thing she dislikes are the many paper cuts she gets.



Cassie opening envelopes

"She's working real well and has been a real help." - Audrey McDonald

Cassie didn't really know what to expect at her job, but she likes it. Her supervisor, Audrey McDonald, says, "She's working real well and has been a real help." Cassie will learn great organizational skills from her experience.

A vote for Cherilene

Cherilene Begay settles in her new job as a clerk trainee at the Mohave County Voter Registration office. Cherilene's job duties include shredding paper, mailing work orders, clipping out obituaries, and helping to organize the workplace for everyone to have an easier day at work. Her employer, Kim Stewart, and all of her coworkers say, "We are glad to have her."

Cherilene has never done any type of work like this before, but she sure is catching on quickly.

She is one of the more fortunate ones with her own desk (even though it is only for a week, but that's okay) and a new 20 inch Dell computer monitor, but she has sure earned it!



Kim Stewart (left), supervisor with her new summer worker. Cherilene Begav

Mohave County Finance hires new help from local teen



Brenda deHann (left) and Heather McClintock (right)

The extremely friendly staff over at Mohave County Finance openly welcomed Heather McClintock on her first day. Brenda deHann says she is definitely happy Heather's along to help lighten the workload.

From 8 to 5, Monday through Thursday, Heather can be found either filing, sorting cancelled checks, or

sitting at her desk typing up the Fixed Asset Manual she has been assigned to do.

Her computer experience is going to help Heather along with her project greatly. She's glad that this good experience and great opportunity is going to teach her more basic office procedures for future employment.

Conley assists animal control

Feeding, watering, and cleaning animals—tough job? Not too tough for John Conley.

He helps his community by keeping things in order at the Mohave County Animal Control office. He likes his work because he loves animals. Unfortunately for John he doesn't have his own desk, but that's okay because he's

got a basket! He says, "The hardest thing about my job is letting go of the animals."

His prior experience with his own dog helps a lot at the job site. Of course, there's always the occasional accident, as John experienced first hand when a dog urinated on his foot! Not pretty!



John Conelly cleaning out the dog kennels

County Library offers more than just books

The friendly staff over at the Mohave County District Library welcomes Taylor Payton to the crew.

Taylor is working diligently from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday scanning, returning books, and making sure any and every customer is a top priority to the company.

Taylor says, "It's more active than what I thought," and not



Taylor Payton, hard at work at the local library

what she expected in a library. She is learning a variety of different things from organizational skills to computer technology.

Go Taylor, go!

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Mission Statement

To help fulfill youth needs by expanding the mind and opening the job world.

From the writer's corner...

Josh Hoff

I'm 15 years old. I like old punk rock. I like to play the guitar when I'm bored. I like to call my friends up and hang out with them.

Cody "Cudge" Davis

I am an all-out gamer. I love playing, writing, and hanging out with friends. My aspiration is to become either a psychologist or a webmaster.

Michael Swann

My life is video games. I like Ozzy Osbourne, Black Sabbath and techno. I am the total game nerd of the world. This is my life in a nutshell.

Want paper? Jerilene's got it

Jerilene Begay works for the Mohave County Central Services Purchasing department. Jerilene's boss, Cathy Dean, is one of the friendliest staff members you'll find there.

The job duties of Jerilene and Cathy consist of printing almost anything that deals with paper in the county, except colored paper. The purchasing department doesn't receive any funding, so they charge the various county departments for any printing or other work that they do.

They are both happy and enjoy their work and wouldn't change a thing about it. Cathy really likes her job because of the variety of stuff that they have to do. One thing though that neither one likes to do is the NCR (non-carbon paper). She has worked in the print shop for two years and a total of eight years for the county.

Jerilene says that, "This job is much



Jerilene working on the numbering machine

better than I expected it ever would be." Jerilene is getting some really good experience in the use of copy machines, computers, and the gluing of paper pads together. At Cathy's job, you must be able to lift at least 35 pounds to move boxes to and from storage.

Cathy hopes to stay with the county and move into a more advanced position. Jerilene plans to graduate high school and go on to college with a goal of becoming a nurse.

If you like to work with paper, and know some basic paper technology, then this is the job for you.